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# Raw Sequence Listing Error Summary

## ERROR DETECTED

## SUGGESTED CORRECTION

SERIAL NUMBER: 09/880,654

ATTN: NEW RULES CASES: PLEASE DISREGARD ENGLISH "ALPHA" HEADERS, WHICH WERE INSERTED BY PTO SOFTWARE

- 1 Wrapped Nucleics  
Wrapped Aminos The number/text at the end of each line "wrapped" down to the next line. This may occur if your file was retrieved in a word processor after creating it. Please adjust your right margin to .3; this will prevent "wrapping."
- 2 Invalid Line Length The rules require that a line not exceed 72 characters in length. This includes white spaces.
- 3 Misaligned Amino  
Numbering The numbering under each 5<sup>th</sup> amino acid is misaligned. Do not use tab codes between numbers; use space characters, instead.
- 4 Non-ASCII The submitted file was not saved in ASCII(DOS) text, as required by the Sequence Rules. Please ensure your subsequent submission is saved in ASCII text.
- 5 Variable Length Sequence(s) contain n's or Xaa's representing more than one residue. Per Sequence Rules, each n or Xaa can only represent a single residue. Please present the maximum number of each residue having variable length and indicate in the <220>-<223> section that some may be missing.
- 6 PatentIn 2.0  
"bug" A "bug" in PatentIn version 2.0 has caused the <220>-<223> section to be missing from amino acid sequences(s). Normally, PatentIn would automatically generate this section from the previously coded nucleic acid sequence. Please manually copy the relevant <220>-<223> section to the subsequent amino acid sequence. This applies to the mandatory <220>-<223> sections for Artificial or Unknown sequences.
- 7 Skipped Sequences  
(OLD RULES) Sequence(s) missing. If intentional, please insert the following lines for each skipped sequence:  
(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:X: (insert SEQ ID NO where "X" is shown)  
(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS: (Do not insert any subheadings under this heading)  
(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:X: (insert SEQ ID NO where "X" is shown)  
This sequence is intentionally skipped  
  
Please also adjust the "(ii) NUMBER OF SEQUENCES:" response to include the skipped sequences.
- 8 Skipped Sequences  
(NEW RULES) Sequence(s) missing. If intentional, please insert the following lines for each skipped sequence.  
<210> sequence id number  
<400> sequence id number  
000
- 9 Use of n's or Xaa's  
(NEW RULES) Use of n's and/or Xaa's have been detected in the Sequence Listing.  
Per 1.823 of Sequence Rules, use of <220>-<223> is MANDATORY if n's or Xaa's are present.  
In <220> to <223> section, please explain location of n or Xaa; and which residue n or Xaa represents.
- 10 Invalid <213>  
Response Per 1.823 of Sequence Rules, the only valid <213> responses are: Unknown, Artificial Sequence, or scientific name (Genus/species). <220>-<223> section is required when <213> response is Unknown or is Artificial Sequence
- 11 Use of <220> Sequence(s) missing the <220> "Feature" and associated numeric identifiers and responses.  
Use of <220> to <223> is MANDATORY if <213> "Organism" response is "Artificial Sequence" or "Unknown." Please explain source of genetic material in <220> to <223> section.  
(See "Federal Register," 06/01/1998, Vol. 63, No. 104, pp. 29631-32) (Sec. 1.823 of Sequence Rules)
- 12 PatentIn 2.0  
"bug" Please do not use "Copy to Disk" function of PatentIn version 2.0. This causes a corrupted file, resulting in missing mandatory numeric identifiers and responses (as indicated on raw sequence listing). Instead, please use "File Manager" or any other manual means to copy file to floppy disk.
- 13 Misuse of n n can only be used to represent a single nucleotide in a nucleic acid sequence. N is not used to represent any value not specifically a nucleotide.



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DATE: 05/28/2003

PATENT APPLICATION: US/09/880,654

TIME: 18:12:02

Input Set : A:\2842\_3.txt

Output Set: N:\CRF4\05282003\I880654.raw

3 <110> APPLICANT: Pharmacia Corp.  
 5 <120> TITLE OF INVENTION: FLUORESCENCE POLARIZATION METHOD FOR DETERMINING PROTEASE  
 ACTIVITY

7 <130> FILE REFERENCE: 2842\_03  
 9 <140> CURRENT APPLICATION NUMBER: 09/880,654

C--> 10 <141> CURRENT FILING DATE: 2003-05-22

12 <150> PRIOR APPLICATION NUMBER: 09/327,170

13 <151> PRIOR FILING DATE: 1999-02-08

15 <160> NUMBER OF SEQ ID NOS: 4

17 <170> SOFTWARE: PatentIn version 3.1

19 <210> SEQ ID NO: 1

20 <211> LENGTH: 19

21 <212> TYPE: PRT

22 <213> ORGANISM: synthetic

24 <400> SEQUENCE: 1

26 Val Ala Glu Arg Ala Gln Ala Gly Val Val Asn Ala Ser Cys Arg Leu

27 1

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30 Ala Thr Ala

34 <210> SEQ ID NO: 2

35 <211> LENGTH: 9

36 <212> TYPE: PRT

37 <213> ORGANISM: Synthetic

39 <400> SEQUENCE: 2

41 Ser Gln Asn Tyr Pro Ile Val Gln Gln

42 1

5

45 <210> SEQ ID NO: 3

46 <211> LENGTH: 12

47 <212> TYPE: PRT

48 <213> ORGANISM: Synthetic

50 <220> FEATURE:

51 <221> NAME/KEY: MISC\_FEATURE

52 <222> LOCATION: (1)..(1)

53 <223> OTHER INFORMATION: X=Biotin-gamma-aminoalkylcarboxylic acid

56 <220> FEATURE:

57 <221> NAME/KEY: MISC\_FEATURE

58 <222> LOCATION: (12)..(12)

59 <223> OTHER INFORMATION: X=DTAF-NH2

62 <400> SEQUENCE: 3

W--> 64 Xaa Gly Val Val Asn Ala Ser Ala Arg Leu Lys Xaa

65 1

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68 <210> SEQ ID NO: 4

69 <211> LENGTH: 11

70 <212> TYPE: PRT

71 <213> ORGANISM: Synthetic

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 Does Not Comply  
 Corrected Diskette Needed

invalid (see item 10 on Euro Summary  
 response sheet)

✓ FYI: Xaa can only represent  
 a single  
 amino acid.

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74 <221> NAME/KEY: MISC\_FEATURE  
75 <222> LOCATION: (1)..(1)  
76 <223> OTHER INFORMATION: X=Biotin-gamma-aminoalkylcarboxylic acid  
79 <220> FEATURE:  
80 <221> NAME/KEY: MISC\_FEATURE  
81 <222> LOCATION: (11)..(11)  
82 <223> OTHER INFORMATION: X=DTAF-NH2  
85 <400> SEQUENCE: 4

W--> 87 Xaa Ser Gln Asn Tyr Pro Ile Val Gln Lys Xaa  
88 1 5 10

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Please Note:

Use of n and/or Xaa have been detected in the Sequence Listing. Please review the Sequence Listing to ensure that a corresponding explanation is presented in the <220> to <223> fields of each sequence which presents at least one n or Xaa.

Seq#:3; Xaa Pos. 1,12  
Seq#:4; Xaa Pos. 1,11

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L:10 M:271 C: Current Filing Date differs, Replaced Current Filing Date

L:64 M:341 W: (46) "n" or "Xaa" used, for SEQ ID#:3 after pos.:0

L:87 M:341 W: (46) "n" or "Xaa" used, for SEQ ID#:4 after pos.:0